## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification as amended below with replacement paragraphs shows added text with <u>underlining</u> and deleted text with <u>strikethrough</u>.

Please REPLACE the paragraph beginning at page 2, line 18 with the following paragraph:

Also, it is understood that the reliability of a translated text obtained by translation using a translation-example dictionary having many variables is lower than the reliability of a translated text obtained by translation using a translation-example dictionary having a few variables. Often, here is no material is provided for determining the reliability of the translated text.

Please REPLACE the paragraph beginning at page 9, line 13 with the following paragraph:

The original text data of both ef-the <u>reference</u> translation-example information <u>610 and</u> the comparison translation information 620 read out are divided into a plurality of parts corresponding to units of word class and then compared so as to determine whether the translation-example information are similar to each other according to steps S5 to S10 below.

Please REPLACE the paragraph beginning at page 12, line 3 with the following paragraph:

It is to be noted that the above embodiment has been described for a case provided with a single old translation-example dictionary 401 and a single new translation-example dictionary 402403, but a plurality of new translation-example dictionaries 402403 may be created from a plurality of old translation-example dictionaries 401, or, a single new translation-example dictionary 402403 may be created from a plurality of old translation-example dictionaries 401, or a plurality of new translation-example dictionaries 402403 may be created from a single old translation-example dictionary 401.